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PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

MIRANDA M. SARGENT, M.D.
Office and residence, Central Block, lower
floor, Merchant street, Decatur, Ill.

GEORGE R. SHIPLEY, Blue Mound, Ill.,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.

Prompt attention given to all kinds of collec-
tions. Money to loan on real estate.
May 5, 1878—d&wif.

J. N. RANDALL, M.D.,
Physician and Surgeon.
Office, Northwest corner of North Main
and Prairie streets, just west of the Postoffice.
April 20, 1878—d&wif.

D. J. BLYTHE,
DENTIST.
Office in Opera Block, over H. B. Lewis's gro-
ceries. Residence, southwest cor. William
and Monroe streets. All work warranted.
April 20, 1878—d&wif.

J. RAN. P. WOOD,
ATTORNEY AT LAW
And Solicitor in Chancery, Decatur, Illinois.
Office, 21 Water street—Upstairs.
April 1, 1878—d&wif.

I. RA B. CURTIS,
JUSTICE OF THE PEACE,
No. 25 North Main street, Decatur, Illinois.—
Calligraphy Specialty.
Booksellers, Publishers and Authors, Bank-
ers, J. Millich & Co., Bankers, A. T. Hill,
National Bank Co.; Grocers, Linn & Son;
J. R. Race & Co.; Stationers; Linn & Son;
Postmaster, Capt. R. P. Little, Postmaster.
Dec. 14, 1877—d&wif.

FRANK W. HAINES,
BILL POSTER, DISTRIBUTOR.
—AND—

AGENT SMITH'S OPERA HOUSE,
may be found on inquiry at the REPUBLICAN
Building.

S. J. HUMPHREY, M.D.,
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON,
OCULIST AND AURIST
Successor to Dr. J. W. Heath, Decatur, Omo
in First Main street, formerly occupied by Dr.
R. W. Johnson, No. 22 West Edwards street.
May 10, 1878—d&wif.

JOSIAH M. CLOKEY,
Attorney and Counselor-at-Law,
offices over the Decatur National Bank. Spec-
ial attention to matters in Probate and Chan-
cery. Decatur, Ill., April 9, 1878—d&wif.

D. R. C. DAWKINS,
DENTISTS
Chiropractor, Ether, or Gas given at any time
for the extraction of teeth
Other over Rucker, Hammer & Co.'s Bank,
Decatur, Illinois.

A. ROBERTSON SMALL, M.D.,
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.
Office No. 8 East Main street, up stairs. Re-
sidence, No. 15 South Union street, up stairs. Es-
pecial attention given to Obstetrics and In-
fants of Women and Children. March 27, 1878—
d&wif.

H. ARVEY PASCO,
Attorney at Law,
Noteller in Chancery and Notary Public.
Deeds, Mortgages, Wills, Contracts, and all
kinds of legal instruments, carefully written
and executed. Attention taken to every detail.
W. C. Chase, and many others residing under
the State of Illinois. Offices over the Bank
and all other stores, East Main street, Decatur,
Illinois. Office open from 7 A.M. to 8 P.M. Also office
at No. 42 West Wood street, open from 8 to 10
P.M.

M. MAXWELL & WALKER,
ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW,
And Notaries Public. Deeds, Mortgages and
all kinds of contracts written. Loans ne-
gotiated at nine per cent, interest on your
property to Mason and adjoining counties. All
wanting money call and see me. Office door
open at Post office. Sept. 1878—d&wif.

B. BUNN & PARK, D. L. Bunn, Edwin Park,
ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW,
Office No. 14 East Main street, up stairs, Deca-
tur, Illinois. April 1878—d&wif.

BROWN & TAFT,
John B. Brown, Notary Public
Attorneys-at-Law,
Office 23 North Water street, over Fenton's
Clothing store, Decatur, Ill. Collections and
all legal business promptly attended to.
July 1, 1878—d&wif.

P. B. SPARKS, M.D.,
HOMEOPATHIST,
Office over Post Office, Decatur, Ill. All calls
promptly responded to in the city or country,
day or night. Residence, Franklin street, first
door on right of Isaac Shattock's house.
Aug. 16, 1878—d&wif.

D. A. S. WALZ,
DENTIST
Office over Barber & Co.'s Shoe Store, East Main
street, Residence No. 49 North Main street,
Decatur, Illinois.

T. S. HOSKINS,
DENTIST,
Offers professional services to the people of
Decatur and vicinity. Work guaranteed of
best quality. Office over Holloman's grocery
store, New Court street, Decatur, Illinois.
May 28, 1878—d&wif.

B. L. STIFFRETT,
Attorney-at-Law,
Office, southeast corner of the Old Square,
in office formerly occupied by S. G. Malon,
Capt. over W. C. Armstrong's Drug Store.
July 1, 1878—d&wif.

E. ELDREDGE & HOMETTE,
E. H. Eldridge, J. C. Homette,
ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW,
Office over Nowell & Hammer's Grocery Store.
July 1, 1878—d&wif.

A. DROWER BURN,
Attorney and Counselor-at-Law,
Office in Central Block, over Wingate's Lamp Store.
August 1, 1878—d&wif.

I. A. DUCKINGHAM,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
Office over Biddlebrandt's Drug Store, Decatur
Illinois.

H. F. CHILDE,
Veterinary Surgeon.
Professional calls made at any hour during the
day or night. Office at Biddlebrandt's Drug
store, Decatur, Ill.

NEW FALL AND WINTER GOODS

AT
LOWER PRICES THAN EVER
FOR CASH!

We have Just Received an Immense Invoice of
MEN'S, YOUTHS' AND BOYS'

CLOTHING

Including a Choice Lot of SCHOOL SUITS.

Also, FALL STYLES OF SILK AND SOFT

HATS!

In endless variety, besides a large lot of SAMPLE HATS, which
will be sold very cheap.

LAUNDRIED AND UNLAUNDRIED SHIRTS!

NECKWEAR OF ALL KINDS,

Underwear and Furnishing Goods

Of Every Variety and Price, ALL NEW and of the LATEST STYLES.

IN OUR

Merchant Tailoring Department!

Will be found the first arrival of new and stylish Cloths and Cassimeres,
Vestings and Overcoatings. Suits or single garments made to order on
short notice and fits guaranteed. Two first-class cutters are constantly
employed.

J. R. RACE & CO.

Sept. 4—d&wif.

AT THE
WATER STREET

Hardware Store!

YOU WILL FIND GOOD

COAL OIL STOVES!

AT REDUCED PRICES;

—Also,—

A FULL ASSORTMENT OF

GARDEN TOOLS

Spades and Shovels,

Nails, Glass, &c.

And a Full Stock of Fine and Cheap

BUILDERS' HARDWARE

—Also, the

BEST COAL AND WOOD

Cook Stoves and Ranges

In the Market.

Call and examine for yourselves.

R. C. CROCKER,
No. 9 Water Street.

April 11, 1878—d&wif.

FLOUR! FLOUR!

Shellabarger & Co.'s

Flour is Giving Splen-
did Satisfaction.

Leave your orders at their Flour Store, cor-
ner of Water and Prairie streets.

PRICES FOLLOW:

Best White Wheat Pastry, \$2.50 per cwt.

Choice XXXX Family, 2.25 "—

—dt

JEFFRAS, SEELEY & CO.,

CINCINNATI,

Manufacturers and Importers of

CLOAKS.

The superiority of our goods in every selling

quality can be made in this country is attrac-
tive to thousands of leading houses selling

them. Write for particulars.

Sept. 21—d&wif.

Children's Carriages, from two dollars

up, at Ashby's.

June 11—d&wif.

Sept. 21—d&wif.

THE ILLINOIS ELDERS
of God will hold their
annual meeting at Troy Grove, LaSalle
County, on Thursday next. Elders
of the church in the
vicinity of the eldership
will be present.

QUEENSLAND AND G
Sept. 21-d&wtf

THE OLDEST IN THE
man has been in the
Decatur longer than
to day he announces
the arrival of a super
made clothing, pieces
a first-class cutter he
up to order suits or
to warrant perfect fit
him a call, if you
line, and you will ne

200 FEET OF inch
Ashby's

Announcement.—
of our new stock
marked and ready
for Monday morning
fall to come on Mon
you a store liter
the novelties in Dr.
prices.
New York Store, 1
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Attention, Fire
of the fire department
Monday evening, do
to take steps to rel
county fair as a dep

By order

ED CARTER, Secy

ROSS IN ACT W
of Friends Creek to
table this morning a
large comble led a
grown in his yard
ties in autumn are
must be a genuine as
are so fortunate as

THEATRICAL.—O
Mitchell Dramatic
the opera house for
company is a powerful
during the week se
and popular play
the star, is second
and sprightly actr
of a high order
an opportunity to
will be afforded the

Fresh Oysters
Restaurant is now
the only first class
you can get a nice
Sept. 2-d&wtf

STOCK FOR THE
this afternoon M
tary of the Mac
Board, received
PICKRELL, Esq., at
that fourteen ca
Macon county fair
and would arrive
afternoon. This is
Springfield to St.

Attention, Fir
special meeting o
3, on Monday eve
o'clock sharp. It
is to be presented
and will come in
By order of the

OUR COTTON
busiest day at the
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provide more stuf
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are being made
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day things will be
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is set in order in
are represented
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than any other
J C Rice
For sale by
Sept. 24

Boy Want
Sept. 24

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REPUBLICAN TICKET.

For State Treasurer,
GENERAL JOHN C. SMITH,
of Jacksonville County.
For Superintendent of Public Instruction,
JAMES P. BLADE,
of St. Clair County.
For Clerk Supreme Court—Court, Grand Div'n,
M. B. CONVERSE,
of Sangamon County.
For Clerk of Appellate Court—Third District,
M. M. DUNCAN,
of Macoupin County.
For Representative in Congress, 14th District,
JOSEPH G. CANNON,
of Vermilion Co.

For Senator—2d District,
WILLIAM T. MOFFETT,
of Macon County.
For Representatives—3d District,
DR. JOHN H. TYLER,
GEORGE K. INGHAM,
of DeWitt County.
COUNTY TICKET.

For Sheriff,
MARTIN FOHSTMYER.
For Coroner,
FRANK W. HAINES.

We are in receipt of a postal card
from Hon. J. G. Cannon, stating that
he will positively be here on Wednesday
October 2, and will speak at the Court
House on the evening of that day.

AND NOW COMES ANOTHER OF THE LEADING
DEMOCRATIC PAPERS OF THIS DISTRICT,
THE CHARLESTON COURIER, WITH A COMPARISON
OF THE TOLEDO NATIONAL PLATFORM
AND THE ILLINOIS DEMOCRATIC PLATFORM,
COUPLED WITH THE COMFORTING ASSURANCE
THAT THEY ARE "ALIKE AS TWO PEAS."

GEN. STEPHEN A. HURLBURT, THE OLD
COMMANDER OF THE FAMOUS "FIGHTING
FOURTH DIVISION" OF SHILOH FAME, WILL
SPEAK AT THE COURT HOUSE ON FRIDAY
EVENING, OCTOBER 4TH. GEN. HURLBURT
IS ONE OF THE BEST SPEAKERS IN THE STATE,
AND WILL DRAW A CROWDED HOUSE.

THE MARSH NEWS SAYS THAT THE ATTEN
DANCE AT MALDEN JONES' MEETING AT
MARA LAST TUESDAY WAS NOT VERY FLATTER
ING. THE PEOPLE OF MACON COUNTY
DON'T SEEM TO TAKE MUCH STOCK IN MALDEN—THEY KNOW THAT HE HAS NOT THE
GHOST OF A CHANCE OF AN ELECTION.

MALDEN JONES SAID IN HIS MARSH
SPEECH THAT HE WAS IN FAVOR OF THE UN
CONDITIONAL REPEAL OF THE RESUMPTION
ACT. THAT IS, HE IS OPPOSED TO SPECIE
PAYMENT AND IN FAVOR OF AN IRRED
EMERGENCY CURRENCY.

ON AND AFTER OCTOBER FIRST "THIRD
CLASS" MAIL MATTER CAN BE REGISTERED AT
THE POST OFFICE IN THE SAME MANNER AS
LETTERS. THE COST OF REGISTRATION WILL
BE TEN CENTS. "THIRD-CLASS" MAIL MATTER
CONSISTS OF PAMPHLETS, OCCASIONAL
PUBLICATIONS, TRANSIENT NEWSPAPERS, MAG
AZINES, HANDBILLS, POSTERS, UNSEALED CIRC
ULARS, PROSPECTUSES, BOOKS, MANUSCRIPTS,
PROOF-SHEETS, CORRECTED PROOF-SHEETS,
MAPS, PRINTS, ENGRAVINGS, BLANKS, FLEXIBLE
PATTERNS, ARTICLES OF MERCHANDISE,
SAMPLE CARDS, PHOTOGRAPHIC PAPER, LETTER
ENVELOPES AND WRAPPERS, CARDS, PLAIN
AND ORNAMENTAL PAPER, PHOTOGRAPHIC RE
PRESENTATIONS OF DIFFERENT TYPES, SEEDS,
CUTTINGS, BULBS, ROOTS, SEEDS, AND ALL
OTHER MATTER WHICH MAY BE DECLARED
MAILABLE BY LAW, IN PACKAGES NOT EX
CEEDING FOUR POUNDS IN WEIGHT.

FOR THE REPUBLICAN.

WARRENSBURG, Sept. 27, 1878.
Yesterday, for the first time in the
history of our town, a very silent audi
ence of thirty-five enjoyed the un
distinguished consideration of a speech
from Malden Jones, the Democratic
candidate for congress.

WE EXPECTED TO GET A GRAND OUTLINE
OF DEMOCRATIC PRINCIPLES, BUT GOT A BIG
BUG IN OUR CAR; AND NOT THE FAIREST
SHADOW OF A PRINCIPLE DID HE GIVE US—

MR. JONES STUBBORNLY REFUSED TO GO FURTHER
BACK THAN 1869 FOR HIS POLICY, OR
PRINCIPLES, SO THAT THE DEMOCRATIC CRED
OF 1864, THAT THE WAR WAS A FAILURE, THE
GREENBACK A FRAUD, AND AN UNCONSTITUTIONAL
HUMBUG, IS NOW CLASSIFIED BY MR.

JONES AMONG THE LOST ARTS OF DEMOCRACY.
THE LOGIC OF HIS SONG WAS DOWN WITH
NATIONAL BANKS AND UP WITH GREEN
BACKS—GREENBACKS FOR LEGAL TENDER TO
PAY OFF EVERYBODY AND EVERYTHING. HE NEVER
INTIMATED THAT THEY EVER WERE TO BE RE
DEEMED, BUT GAVE US THE SILVER DOLLAR OF
1790, WITH GOVERNMENT BONDS ALL PAID
IN GREENBACKS, AND THESE GREENBACKS ALL
PUT IN CIRCULATION, AND GOLD, SILVER AND
GREENBACKS WILL BE SO PLenty THAT EVERY
FARMER CAN PAY OFF HIS MORTGAGE ON HIS
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WHERE GRANT IS, THERE IS SAFETY.

GENERAL WILLIAM T. SHEPPARD.

IF IN THE EARLY SUMMER OF 1880 THERE
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WERE THEY ALL FOOLS?

From the Hartford Courant.

The present cheap money epidemic is
chiefly remarkable in that it shows how
little the lessons of experience are
heeded, even among a people of supposed
intelligence. The idea that a Government
can give value to that which is without
value is not an invention of General Butler,
nor even of George Law, but had been tried and found a
failure a hundred years before Law inflated
his magnificent bubble. It has been
studied by the wisest men of every
country, and the decision has been
that the only sound, honest money for
any country is one based upon specie
and convertible into specie on demand,
and that every effort to float an irredeemable
paper money will end in disaster and disgrace. It is possible that
the American nation is to be carried
away with the Greenback frenzy, in
spite of all the warnings of the past, for
history shows that nothing is so un
reasonable as a populace led by dema
gogues. But it may be of benefit for
those who are unsettled in their beliefs,
and are not disposed to accept blindly
the teachings of political adventurers,
to read and ponder the opinions of some
of the great men who are gone. They
are not new, but they are none the less
worthy of attention.

Said Alexander Hamilton, the great
statesman of the first days of the Re
public:

PAPER EMISSIONS BY THE GOVERNMENT ARE OF
A NATURE SO LIKELY TO ABUSE, I MAY SAY
SO CERTAINLY TO ABUSE, THAT THE WISDOM
OF THE GOVERNMENT WILL BE SHOWN BY NEVER
TRUSTING ITSELF WITH SO SEDUCING AND
DANGEROUS A POWER.

Chief Justice Marshall.

SUCH A MEDIUM (IRREDEMMABLE) PAPER MONEY
HAS ALWAYS BEEN LIKELY TO FLUCTUATE.
ITS VALUE IS CONSTANTLY CHANGING,
AND THESE CHANGES, OFTEN GREAT AND SU
DENT, EXPOSE INDIVIDUALS TO GREAT LOSS, ARE
THE SOURCE OF RUINOUS SPECULATION,
AND DESTROY ALL CONFIDENCE BETWEEN MAN
AND MAN.

Thomas Jefferson:

CAPITAL MAY BE PRODUCED BY INDUSTRY
AND ACCUMULATED BY RICHES, BUT ONLY
JUGGLERS WILL PROPOSE TO CREATE IT BY
LEGERDEMAIN WITH PAPER.

Andrew Jackson:

A PAPER CURRENCY IS A GREAT CURSE TO ANY
PEOPLE, AND A PARTICULAR CURSE TO THE LA
BORER OF THE COUNTRY, FOR ITS DEPRIVATION
ALWAYS FALLS UPON THE LABORER.

THOMAS H. BENTON:

IT (PAPER MONEY) TENDS TO AGGRAVATE THE
INEQUALITY OF FORTUNES; TO MAKE THE RICH
RICHER AND THE POOR POORER, TO MULTIPLY
NABOB AND PAUPER, AND TO DEEPEN AND
WIDEN THE GULF WHICH SEPARATED DIVES
FROM LUZARIA.

JAMES MADISON:

THE LOSS WHICH AMERICA HAS SUSTAINED
SINCE THE PEACE, FROM THE PESTILENTIAL
EFFECTS OF IRREDEMMABLE PAPER MONEY, ON THE
NECESSARY CONFIDENCE BETWEEN MEN, ON THE
PUBLISHERS OF THE PUBLIC COUNCILS, ON THE
INDUSTRY AND MORALS OF THE PEOPLE, AND
ON THE CHARACTER OF REPUBLICAN GOVERN
MENT, CONSTITUTES AN ENORMOUS DEBT AGAINST
THE STATES CHARGEABLE WITH THIS UNADVISED
MEASURE, WHICH MUST REMAIN UNSATIS
FACTORY; OR RATHER IT IS AN ACCUMULATION
OF GUILT WHICH CAN BE EXPIATED BY NO
OTHERWISE THAN BY A VOLUNTARY SACRIFICE
ON THE ALTAR OF JUSTICE OF THE POWER WHICH
HAS BEEN THE INSTRUMENT OF IT.

Daniel Webster:

THE VERY MAN OF ALL OTHERS WHO HAS THE
DEEPEST INTEREST IN A SOUND CURRENCY, AND
WHO SUFFERS MOST BY MISCHIEVOUS LEGIS
LATION IN MONEY MATTERS, IS THE MAN WHO
EARN HIS DAILY BREAD BY HIS DAILY TOIL.
A DEPRECIATED CURRENCY, SUDDEN CHANGES
OF PRICE, PAPER MONEY FAILING BETWEEN MOR
NING AND NOON, AND FALLING STILL LOWER BE
TWEEN NOON AND NIGHT, THESE THINGS CON
STITUTE THE VERY HARVEST TIME OF SPECULATORS,
AND OF THE WHOLE RACE OF THOSE WHO ARE AT
ONCE IDLE AND CRAFTY. *

A DISORDERED CURRENCY IS ONE OF THE GREATEST
POLITICAL EVILS. IT UNDERMINES THE VIRTUES
NECESSARY FOR THE SUPPORT OF THE SOCIAL
SYSTEM, AND ENCOURAGES PROPRIETIES DE
STRUCTIVE TO ITS HAPPINESS. IT WARS AGAINST
INDUSTRY, FRUGALITY AND ECONOMY, AND IT
FOSTERS THE EVIL SPIRIT OF EXTRAVAGANCE
AND SPECULATION. OF ALL THE CONTRIVANCES
THAT THIS NATION HAS BEEN MADE EFFECTIVE
BY THAT WHICH DELATES THEM WITH PAPER
MONEY, THIS IS THE MOST EFFECTUAL OF INVENT
IONS TO FERTILIZE THE RICH MAN'S FIELDS BY
THE SWEAT OF THE POOR MAN'S BROW. ORIF
ANY TYRANNY, OPPRESSION, EXCESSIVE TAXA
TION, THESE BEAR LIGHTLY UPON THE MASS
OF THE COMMUNITY COMPARED WITH FRAUDULENT
CURRENCIES AND THE ROBBERS COMMITTED
BY DEPRECIATED PAPER.

JAMES BUCHANAN:

IRREDEMMABLE PAPER MONEY CONVERTS THE
BUSINESS OF SOCIETY INTO A MERE LOTTERY,
AND WHEN THE COLLAPSE COMES, AS COMES IT
MUST, IT CASTS LABORERS OUT OF EMPLOYMENT;
CRUSHES MANUFACTURERS AND MERCHANTS,
AND RUINS THOUSANDS OF HONEST, INDU
STRIOUS CITIZENS.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN:

A RETURN TO SPECIE PAYMENTS AT THE EAR
LIEST POSSIBLE PERIOD COMPATIBLE WITH DUE
REGARD TO ALL INTERESTS CONCERNED, SHOULD
EVER BE KEPT IN VISE. FLUCTUATIONS IN THE
VALUE OF CURRENCY ARE ALWAYS INJURIOUS,
AND TO REDUCE THESE FLUCTUATIONS TO THE
LOWEST POSSIBLE POINT WILL ALWAYS BE A
LEADING PURPOSE IN WISE LEGISLATION. CON
VERTIBILITY, PROMPT AND CERTAIN CONVERTIB
ILITY, INTELLICALLY ACKNOWLEDGED TO BE THE
BEST AND SUREST SAVIOR AGAINST THEM.

HERE IS A LIST OF AUTHORITIES. WERE
THESE MEN ALL FOOLS?

LIVER IS KING.

THE LIVER IS THE IMPERIAL ORGAN OF THE
WHOLE HUMAN SYSTEM, AS IT CONTROLS THE
HEALTH AND HAPPINESS OF MAN. WHEN IT IS
DISTURBED IN ITS PROPER ACTION, ALL
KINDS OF ALIMENT ARE THE NATURAL RESULT.
THE DIGESTION OF FOOD, THE MOVEMENTS OF
THE BLOOD AND BLOOD, THE ACTION OF THE
NERVES AND NERVOUS SYSTEM, ARE ALL IMM
EDIATELY CONNECTED WITH THE WORKINGS OF
THE LIVER. IT HAS BEEN SUCCESSFULLY PRO
VED THAT GREEN BACKS AND GOLD, SILVER AND
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MORE OF MALDEN JONES' RECORD
AS A LEGISLATOR.

(From the Mattoon Gazette.)

During the famous Haines legislature
of 1875, two or more bills were intro
duced providing for a legal system of
ex

CITY DEPARTMENT.

THE ILLINOIS ELDERSHIP of the Church of God will hold its annual meeting at Troy Grove, LaSalle county, commencing Thursday next. Elder W. B. Allen, pastor of the church in this city, who is secretary of the eldership, will start for Troy Grove on Tuesday.

QUEENWARE and Glassware, at Sept. 7-d&wif ASHBY'S.

THE OLDEST IN THE CITY.—W. Ehrman has been in the clothing business in Decatur longer than "any other man," and to-day he announces through our columns the arrival of a superb stock of ready-made clothing, piece goods, etc. Having a first-class cutter he is enabled to make up to order suits or single garments, and to warrant perfect fits in every case. Give him a call, if you want anything in his line, and you will not regret it.

200 FEET of inch rope for sale cheap, at Ashby's. [Sept. 7-d&wif]

ANNOUNCEMENT.—Owing to the extent of our new stock we cannot have all marked and ready to open our store before Monday morning, Sept. 30th. Don't fail to come on Monday, and we will show you a store literally jammed full of all the novelties in Dry Goods, New York prices.

LAMBERT & CO., New York Store, 18 Merchant St., Decatur, Ill.

Attention, Firemen!—General meeting of the fire department at headquarters, Monday evening, Sept. 30th, at 7 o'clock, to take steps relative to attending the county fair as a department.

By order WM. DODSON, Chief. Ed. CARTER, Secretary.

ROSES IN AUTUMN.—Mr. S. Boneham, of Friends Creek township, laid upon our table this morning a beautiful bouquet of large double red and white roses, which grew in his yard. Roses of these varieties in autumn are rather uncommon, and must be a genuine luxury to those who are fortunate as to have them.

THEATRICAL.—On Monday evening the Mitchell Dramatic Company will open at the opera house for the week. The company is a powerful one, and will present during the week some of the most taking and popular plays. Miss Millie Willard, the star, is second to none as a versatile and sprightly actress, and her support is of a high order. Our people seldom have an opportunity to enjoy so rare a treat as will be afforded them next week.

Fresh Oysters have Come, and Wood's Restaurant is now open for the season—the only first-class place in the city where you can get a nice dish of oysters.

Sept. 2-d&wif

STOCK FOR THE FAIR.—About 2 o'clock this afternoon Mr. M. B. Thomas, Secretary of the Macon County Agricultural Board, received a telegram from J. H. Pickrell, Esq., at Springfield, to the effect that fourteen carloads of stock for the Macon county fair had just left Springfield and would arrive here about 4 o'clock this afternoon. This stock is in transit from Springfield to St. Louis.

Attention, Firemen!—There will be a special meeting of Neptune Hose Co. No. 3, on Monday evening, Sept. 30th, at 7 o'clock, sharp. Every member is requested to be present, as business of importance will come before the company.

By order of the Foreman.

A. C. CORNMAN, Sec.

OUR COUNTY FAIR.—Yesterday was a busy day at the fair ground, as is to-day also. It having been found necessary to provide more stalls for horses and cattle, and pens for hogs, workmen are busy as bees in putting them up. A large number of entries were made on yesterday, and are being made to-day, swelling the list already in the stock department beyond the expectations of the officers. On Monday things will take fresh start, and the entries in the other departments will be coming in with a rush. The ladies should see to it that their part of the exhibition is set in order in good time, and that they are represented in every branch properly belonging to them.

A NARROW ESCAPE.—Yesterday, while Mr. and Mrs. John S. Sargent, in company with Rev. T. Hines, all of Marion, were returning home from Decatur, and when about four and a half miles from home, the coupling pole broke and suddenly precipitated all to the ground. The horses went off with the fore-wheels, leaving the hind part of the buggy, with its occupants, to get home the best they could. Mr. and Mrs. Sargent were considerably bruised in the fall, but not seriously. Another conveyance was speedily engaged, and all arrived home in safety. The horses and buggy belonged to Maj. C. F. Emery. The buggy is damaged considerably, but the horses arrived home in safety, having been caught by Stratton Axton. Thus terminated an accident that might have proved fatal, but, fortunately for the parties concerned, we are glad to report otherwise.

Cillford's Febrifuge is not a panacea for all theills to which flesh is heir. We do not profess to have discovered a *cure-all*, but we confidently recommend it to you as a sure, safe and speedy cure for all diseases arising from Malaria. In this class of diseases it is a specific; it enters the circulation and utterly destroys the germs of the poison; it will purify and build up the debilitated system in a short time, and with more lasting benefit, than any other known remedy.

J. C. RICHARDSON, Prop'r. St. Louis.

For sale by all druggists.

Sept. 15-d&wif

Boys Wanted—At Wood's restaurant.

Sept. 29-d&wif

SENATOR OGLESBY AT THE COURT HOUSE.

A BIG CROWD TO HEAR HIM.

He Makes a Rousing Speech, in which he Submits Sundry Conundrums to the Greenbackers and Democrats.

The Old Time Enthusiasm Apparent.

According to notice previously given, Senator J. R. Oglesby addressed the people of Decatur at the court house last evening, on the political questions at present agitating the public mind. The Honorable Senator was escorted from his residence to the court house by the Decatur Band, and on entering the hall was greeted with hearty applause.

At about half past seven the meeting was called to order by J. R. Mosser, who nominated Hon. Jesse H. Moore to preside, and the nomination was confirmed. Gen. Moore then came forward and offered a few well-chosen and pertinent remarks, in which he suggested that with all the talk heard among the people it was somewhat difficult to determine what are the leading issues before the people at this time, but as the question of finance had been thrust forward he would offer a few thoughts on that subject, which he did, indicating his belief in the necessity of a specie basis for the circulating currency of the country. The General's reasons for his convictions were expressed in a clear and forcible manner, which none could fail to understand. He then paid a high compliment to Senator Oglesby, the orator of the evening, and introduced that gentleman to the audience.

REMARKS OF SENATOR OGLESBY.—Upon taking the platform the Senator alluded to the honor that had been conferred upon him, and the confidence that had been reposed in him from time to time by the people of Illinois, by calling him to fill important positions, and said that he had always aimed to discharge his duty in such a manner that no man who had voted for him should blush with shame for having done so.

He then proceeded to say that he was here to-night to talk politics, which he believed to be his duty. Reference was made to the effort that is being made to oust the Republican party from power, and the speaker said that he believed the interest of the country required the continuance of that party in power. Its policy and its acts, though bitterly opposed by the Democrats, when that policy was being shaped, had, on trial, met the approval of the entire country. Democratic conventions, both State and National, had declared their acceptance of every prominent measure which had been carried out by this great party.

The speaker said we are now approaching one of the most important elections ever held in the United States. Though it is an off year in politics, a National House of Representatives is to be elected, and it is the aim of the Democratic party to keep the control of that House. The Senate, said the speaker, will be Democratic after the 4th of March next, and if that party succeeds in its designs of holding its majority in the House, the Government will pass into their hands.

This the speaker conceived would be a great calamity, as it would be a practical abandonment of the Government to the control of those who but a few years ago were in open rebellion against it and had done all in their power to accomplish its destruction.

The honorable Senator proceeded to say that the question involved in the coming election was not one of finance at all—that was simply put forward to conceal the real design of the Southern Democracy, which meant a solid South, with divided rebels—holding not only the offices in their respective States, but representing those States in both Houses of Congress.

To prevent so great a calamity as the turning over of the Government to the rebels, the speaker said he intended to exercise all the influence and power that he could. For this purpose he was going from place to place, to warn the people and open their eyes to the real issues involved in the campaign and the impending danger to the country.

The Senator said that he was proud of the record the Republican party had made in this matter of finance.

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The Bishop will preach in the U. B. church to-morrow, at 10 a.m., and Rev. Mr. Shewey, of Dayton, Ohio, will preach in the evening.

FUNDS RECEIVED.

The following communication and receipt have been received by John Ulrich, Esq., from the Howard Association at Memphis:

OFFICE HOWARD ASSOCIATION, MEMPHIS, TENN., Sept. 19, 1878.

To JOHN ULRICH, Decatur, Ill.

Dear Sir: We return our heartfelt thanks for your sympathy in this hour of affliction, and pray that God may bless you for it. We enclose herewith receipt for your donation, \$17.75, received from the citizens of Decatur, which is hereby acknowledged.

Very greatly yours,

J. H. SMITH, Secretary.

The receipt is as follows:

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Sept. 19, 1878.

Received of John Ulrich, Decatur, Ill., four hundred and forty-seven dollars and seventy-eight cents—a donation from the city of Decatur to this association.

J. H. SMITH, Secretary.

Besides the above there are \$11.40 to be heard from.

Coal! Coal!—Anthracite and Bituminous coal of the best qualities, and at the lowest living prices. Office at the Decatur Furniture Factory, where orders may be left. Coal delivered to any part of the city.

J. H. VENNIGERHOLZ.

Aug. 27 to Jan. 1.

Great Bargains in Carpets and Window Shades, at Linn & Scruggs', Jan. 23-d&wif

The Best White Shirts in the city at one dollar, at Linn & Scruggs'.

Jan. 23-d&wif

The Best Dollar Corset is the Patent Double Bust, at

M. Goldsbury's, 8 Merchant st.

Sep. 17-d&wif

Cider Made to Order, and also for sale, at No. 53 West Wood street.

Sept. 13-d&wif

Wanted, October 1st, a first-class dinner.

Sept. 25-d&wif

DENNIS & REA.

Debtors' Fine Shoes a specialty, at Barber & Baker's.

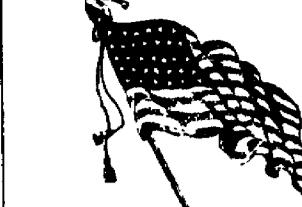
Sep. 21-d&wif

Go and see for yourself, then you will be satisfied that you can save money by buying your winter Boots and Shoes of Barber & Baker.

Sep. 21-d&wif

Democrats were catechized as to what they propose to do, and what measures

REPUBLICAN MEETINGS.



Hon. J. G. Cannon

Will speak at the court house on

WEDNESDAY EVENING, OCT. 2d.

GENERAL

Stephen A. Hurlbut!

Will speak at the same place on

FRIDAY EVE., Oct. 4th

Come out and hear these eminent speakers. Ladies especially invited.

THE CHURCHES TO-MORROW.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

The pulpit of this church will be supplied to-morrow by ministers from the U. S. Conference. At 10 A. M., Rev. Mr. Rinchart, of Gibson, Ill., will preach, and in the evening Rev. F. R. Mitchell, of Roberts, Ill.

JAMES CHAPEL.

There will be service at James' Chapel to-morrow, as follows: Sunday school at 9 A. M. Preaching at 10½ A. M., by Rev. L. S. Chittenden, and at night by Rev. Isaac Kretzinger. At the close of the evening sermon the sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

The pulpit of this church will be occupied to-morrow by ministers of the United Brethren Conference, now in session in this city; Rev. W. J. Shuey preaching at 10½ A. M., and Rev. C. W. Miller at 7 P. M.

BETHEL CHURCH.

Preaching at 10½ A. M., by Rev. D. F. Bear, and in the evening at 7½ by Rev. J. W. Fisher. Sunday School at 2 P. M. Seats free. All invited.

FIRST M. E. CHURCH.

Preaching at 10½ A. M., by Rev. I. Kretzinger, of the U. B. Church, and at 7½ P. M., by Bishop Weaver, of Ohio. At 2 P. M., the Sunday School Missionary meeting will be held. Several addresses will be delivered by able and interesting speakers. All are cordially invited.

PERSONAL.

We are sorry to learn that the condition of Mr. Joseph Spangler is such that hopes of his recovery are abandoned.

The Most Perfect Corset that has ever

been constructed is the Duplex Skirt Supporter. Ladies in Decatur who have been wearing it can testify to the same. To be found at M. Goldsbury's, 8 Merchant st. Sep. 17-d&wif

Large Invoices of first-class boots and shoes received and marked down to bed rock, by Fennies.

Rushie Chairs and Seats, all colors, at Ashby's, for garden or porch. Make a splendid seat for the cemetery, as the rain does not hurt them; it drains off from every part.

Query.—Why will men smoke common tobacco, when they can buy Marburg Bros.' Seal of North Carolina at the same price?

June 11-d&wif

DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER.

Trade Mark.

SPECIAL FLAVORING EXTRACTS.

Eminent Chemists and Physicians certify that these goods are free from adulteration, richer, more effective, produce better results than any others, and that they use them in their own families.

DR. PRICE'S UNIQUE PERFUMES are the Gems of all Odors.

TOOTHPHENE. An agreeable, healthful Liquid Dentifrice.

LEMON SUGAR. A substitute for Lemons.

EXTRACT JAMAICA GINGER. From the pure root.

STEELE & PRICE'S LUPULIN YEAST GEMS.

The Best Dry Hop Yeast in the World.

STEELE & PRICE, Manf's, Chicago, St. Louis & Cincinnati.

Sept. 29, 1878. d&wif

DR. PRICE'S

CREAM BAKING POWDER.

Trade Mark.

HALF ACRE LOTS.

Acres lots, two acre lots, up to five or ten acres in the vicinity of my residence, either for cash or on long time, a very beautiful place to live in, the city for ornamental homes, and a convenient for all practical purposes of a city residence.

H. B. DURPER.

APRIL 2d

DR. PRICE'S

CREAM BAKING POWDER.

Trade Mark.

FAIR WEEK!</p

WABASH

FAST MAIL ROUTE

Our materials are up-to-date on the following lines:

TOLEDO TO ST. LOUIS - 434 MILES

" HANNIBAL - 465 "

QUINCY - 474 "

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Connecting in Union Depots at

St. Louis, Quincy, Hannibal and Keokuk,

To and from all Points in

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to reach the principal cities in the East and West many hours in advance of other lines.

No changes of cars between Cleveland and St. Joseph and Atchison (160 miles), and between Toledo and Kansas City (120 miles).

All Express Trains of this line are fully equipped with Pullman's Palace Sleeping Cars, Westinghouse's Latest Improved Ale Brake, and Miller's Platform and Coupler, rendering a serious accident almost impossible.

Departure of Trains at Decatur Station:

Main Line.

G O I N G W E S T .

No. 1 Through Express 6:45 a. m.

" 2 Fast Line 4:15 a. m.

" 3 Fast Mail 3:40 p. m.

G O I N G E A S T .

No. 2 Lightning Express 10:50 p. m.

" 4 Atlantic Express 11:45 a. m.

" 6 Accommodation 6:25 p. m.

The following Freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:

Going West 8:45 a. m.

Going East 1:15 p. m.

S T. L O U I S D I V I S I O N .

DEPART.

No. 41 Through Express 6:00 a. m.

" 42 Fast Line 4:05 p. m.

" 45 Fast Mail 4:55 p. m.

A N N I V E R S A R Y .

No. 46 Lightning Express 10:25 p. m.

" 48 Atlantic Express 9:45 p. m.

R. H. ANDREWS, Gen'l Sup't., Toledo.

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K. HAWOOD, Agent, Decatur.

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Take this Line for

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